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"Excuse me, sir, but can you tell me how the brakeman lost his forefinger? He seems to be such an accommodating fellow."

"Yes, mum, that's just it. He is so accommodating that he wore that finger off pointing out the scenery along the line," said the conductor.—Denver News.

Income in Great Britain.

If one is earning an income of £1,000 a year he is among the financial "upper ten thousand" in the United Kingdom. In fact, there are not 9,000 (according to the income tax records) who are as well or better off than £1,000 a year. All the persons in Great Britain and Ireland who have an income of £10,000 a year and over could stand comfortably in a fairly large drawing room twenty-one feet square, while all who have incomes of £1,000 or over could be accommodated in a back garden thirty yards wide and sixty yards in length.—London Standard.

Atmospheric and Water Pressure.

The earth's surface is the plane of demarcation for atmospheric and water pressure. The barometer indicates increased pressure as we go down in mines and decreased pressure in ascending in the air. Water also increases in pressure as directly as the distance beneath the surface of the sea. The atmosphere has no known difference in composition at the greatest heights observed. It is its lightness or rarity that affects the lungs at great heights.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1906.

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Reynolds & Son are the local agents for the Pitkin Supply Co. and carry a large stock of Dallett Stone Working Tools.

Low Rate Sunday Excursion.

The Central Vermont railway company will run another of its popular low rate Sunday excursion trains, leaving Barre at 8:30 and returning at 8:50 p. m. The fare from Barre to Burlington and return will be \$1.25 and other points to correspond.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Office of the City Treasurer,
Barre, Vt., July 19, 1906.

All taxpayers of the City of Barre are hereby notified that the city council of this city have this day placed the tax bill for the year 1906 in my hands for collection and are further notified that said taxes must be paid at this office on or before the 20th day of August, 1906. If not paid on or before that date there will be added to the tax bill five per cent, together with the officer's fees for collection, namely, eight per cent on tax bill, ten cents for the warrant and fifty cents officer's fees. Remember, August 20, 1906, is the last date when you can pay your taxes this year without the conditions above enumerated.

James Mackay, City Treasurer.

In Self-Defense

Major Hamm, editor and manager of the Constitutional, Eminence, Ky., when he was severely attacked four years ago, by piles, bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, of which he says: "It cured me in ten days and no trouble since." Quickest healer of burns, sores, cuts and wounds. 25c at Red Cross Pharmacy.

Savages and Snuff.

The habit of snuff taking has been confirmed among savage tribes for ages past. In South Africa it is used among Swazis, Basutos and Matabeles. Every Zulu today, even in towns, carries a little square box suspended around his neck by a piece of string or gut, and the snuff spoon (for they do not indulge in the homely "pinch"), carved out of sheep's bone, often ornamented with intricate geometrical designs and for convenience carried hanging downward through a slit in the lobe of the ear. The Zulu regards the lobe of his ear as a useful receptacle for various small articles he meets with. The umfaan, or house boy, universally met with in Natal, has a penchant for safety pins, which have to be carefully hidden from his sharp eyes. Even then he is usually to be seen, after going through the rooms, with a string of these pins suspended from each ear until they reach his shoulders.

Queer Names.

There are some queer nooks and corners in the state of Maine, and many of the titles of the smaller towns and localities are worthy of special mention. Near Otisfield is Pugsleyville, while Hog valley is a certain picturesque retreat located near Raymond. Dog Corner, Hencoop cove, is a well known place in Winthrop, while out on the Coon road strange things have sometimes happened. A mile long is Pin Hole hill, the steepest ever, and all the way up are little rests "to hang the pins on," people say. Over Poland way is the hunger inspiring name of Beeftown, while highly suggestive of negligence was the old name of Saccarappa. One does not have to die to pass through Purgatory, and some of the most prominent men in the state have hailed from this awful region. Neither are the gates of Eden closed to all mortals, but nowadays one journey leads an ancient toll bridge that leads the traveler straight to this enchanted land.—Lewisian (Me.) Journal.

Butter as a Food.

Butter is a hydro carbon, and all excesses of it are stored up as fat in the body. It gives energy and power to work to those who eat heartily of it. For any one afflicted with consumption butter cooking, if plenty of fat can be digested, is one of the best ways of curing the disease should it be in its early stages or of keeping it at bay if advanced. It is not economy to spare the butter table even to the leanly people. Butter is not a simple fat composed merely of one sort. It is a mixture of no less than seven different sorts of fats, and no more complex oil can be taken than this. For dyspeptic and liverish people good bread and butter, along with fruit, should invariably take the place of pie, pastry and biscuits. Pastry for such people is only another name for poison, and biscuits are as often as not baked with lard.

Deaf.

"George," murmured the young wife, "am I as dear to you as I was before we married?"

"I can't exactly tell," replied the husband absentmindedly. "I didn't keep any account of my expenses then."

We must be sure to give due weight to the good side of every event that has two sides.—Elliot.

KING LEAR IN PENNSYLVANIA

Old Man Driven From Home Lives in Tent at Chester

CHILDREN DISOWN HIM

From His Canvas House He Can See Them Playing on Their Vine Clad Porch, But They Speak No Word to Him.

Within twenty-five feet of the pretty home he once owned and to which he is now forbidden admittance, within sight of his wife, who repudiates him, and his children, who do not speak to him, Charles F. Ryder, a mechanical engineer, who in the prime of life was at the height of his profession, is living in a small army tent in Chester, Pa.

Surrounded by shade trees and beautifully cultivated beds of flowers the house is as pretty a home as one could wish. Clambering vines shade the porch, where the family sit and the children play and swing in a hammock. The house was the pride of Ryder in his more fortunate days.

On a bare lot, with the sun beating down on the tent, Ryder has lived for the last month. It is poorly furnished, this humble home. The floor is of uncarpeted boards. There are a cot, a chair and a stove. There are also a lamp, a washstand and a clock. When not listening with a strange longing at heart to the talk of his children on the other side of the fence, in watching his gray haired wife as she walks around, Ryder sits and dreams of the happy days when he was beloved by his wife and adored by his children.

The story of the estrangement is a pitiful one. "Both wife and husband deem themselves aggrieved. 'He has not furnished us with any support for years,' said Mrs. Ryder. She is a frail little woman, with eyes that seemed tearful when she spoke. 'We have supported ourselves. He squandered his money and lost all he had. He was peculiar and brutal to the children.'

"I am a poor old broken man," said Ryder, a tremor in his voice. He is fifty-eight years old. "The old home



THEY TIED HIM TO A CHERRY TREE. is dear to me. I love my wife. Misfortune has set itself upon me, and now I am not wanted by my wife and children."

The sympathy of the neighbors seems to be with the old man. "I have lived here for eight years," said a neighbor. "I never heard the man utter a cross word or abuse the children. He went away to work from time to time, and when he returned he and his wife were always on the friendliest terms. Three months ago, when he came back, he was forbidden entrance to the house. He attempted to force the door, but his oldest son and daughter prevented him from entering. They rolled him on the ground and bound his feet. Then they cut the rope and bound his hands. With the rest of the rope they tied him to a cherry tree. Finally the son went for a policeman. The patrol wagon came, and he was taken to the police station. There he told the police all he wanted was shelter. They let him go."

Ryder went to Chester from Georgetown, Mass., twenty-five years ago. He was worth considerable money and purchased a large tract of land along Ninth street from Eagle to Morton street. On this he built six houses. He superintended the construction of furnaces at the Seaboard Steel works and the other steel manufacturing industries in the place. He made money, but finally reversed came.

Then he traveled about the country and spent much of his money to interest capitalists in backing his inventions. To raise money he mortgaged his home. It was sold by the sheriff, the daughter, Miss Alice V. Ryder, buying it.

Ryder says he enjoys living in his tent. He will stay there, he says, hoping his children will take pity on him.

Co-operative.

Banker (to the new cashier).—Say, if ever you are seized with the desire to run off with the cash let me know. I'll go with you.—Fillegue Blatter.

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FIRST TRAMWAY ENGINE.

Believed to Have Been Invented by Richard Trevithick.

Who was the great genius, for he must have been such, first to conceive and apply steam locomotion? According to a drawing of one of the earliest steam locomotives, or, as it was designated at that time, "high pressure tram engine," invented by Richard Trevithick, which drawing was made in accordance with the testimony of Rees Jones, who aided in the fitting, and William Richards, its driver, it is proved to the satisfaction of historians that to Trevithick is due the credit for the application of steam to locomotion. In this engine the exhausted steam was discharged into the chimney stack and the wheels were combined together. Underneath the drawing it is stated that the engine was designated on the original plan, dated 1803, as "Trevithick's high pressure tram engine" and was constructed partly in Cornwall and partly at Pen-y-Darren works by Richard Trevithick, engineer for Samuel Homfray, proprietor of the Pen-y-Darren iron works.

The story is related as a historical fact that Merthyr Tudyvil, while discussing the principles and feasibility of locomotive steam engine power with Richard Crawshaw of the Cyfarthfa iron works, made a bet of 1,000 guineas that he would convey by steam power a load of iron to the capital and navigation house (nine miles distant) along the basin tram road, which by means of this engine of the great Trevithick he afterward effected and won his wager, although the heavy gradients, sharp curves and fragile nature of the cast iron trackway operated against the return of this ingenious but rudely constructed machine with the empty trains; hence its discontinuance.—Railway World.

TOUCHING FOR KING'S EVIL.

Extent of the Custom in the Seventeenth Century.

Between the years 1661 and 1682 as many as 92,107 persons were touched for the king's evil. Each of them received a gold coin, with a hole in it, which—the coin, not the hole—"was suspended from the neck by a ribbon." It became necessary to limit the number of patients to be touched, and at last no person was allowed in the king's presence for that purpose who had not previously obtained a certificate from the minister of the parish in which he or she lived that he or she was suffering from the disease.

"Hambledon, Bucks, 1685, May 17. Mary Wallington had a certificate to go before the king for a disease called the king's evil."—Parish Registers, Page 81, R. E. Chester Waters.

From a proclamation issued by Charles II., dated Jan. 9, 1683, appointing the times at which the touch should be administered:

"And all such as shall hereafter come or repair to the court for this purpose shall bring with them certificates under the hands and seals of the parson, vicar or minister and of both or one of the churchwardens, testifying according to the truth that they have not at any time before been touched by his majesty or the intent to be healed of their disease. And all ministers and churchwardens are hereby required to be very careful to examine into the truth before they give such certificates and also to keep a register of all certificates they shall from time to time give."—London Notes and Queries.

Contracted Quarters.

The sort of conversation in which Martha Hackett often indulged was peculiarly trying to her cousin, Mr. Lane. "Martha's been here all the morning," said Mrs. Lane wearily at dinner one night. "She talked on and on about things that didn't amount to anything and were all disconnected. I endured it as well as I could, but it does seem sometimes as if she was wandering in her mind."

"Well, there's one thing," said Mr. Lane grimly, "you needn't ever worry about her going far if that's where she's wandering."—Youth's Companion.

Modest French Salaries.

Figures recently showing the daily salaries of certain magistrates have astonished some of our readers. The judge of the Seine receives, in fact, 8,000 francs (\$1,000) a year and the procurator of the republic 20,000 francs (\$2,000). But in the small tribunals the salaries are as follows: Judge, 3,000 francs (\$300); paid substitute, 1,500 francs (\$150); substitute (juge suppléant), nothing.—Paris Figaro.

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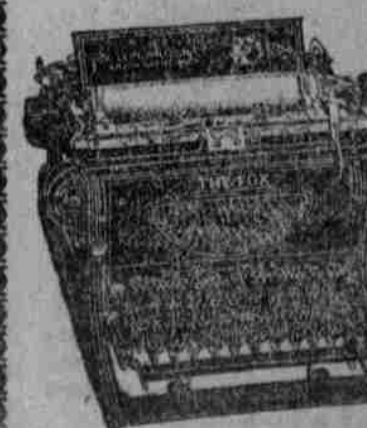
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